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For: GENE ENCODING PROTEIN FROM  
MEROZOITE OF BABESIA CABALLI,  
RECOMBINANT PROTEIN OBTAINED WITH  
SAID GENE AND USE THEREOF

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As evidence of Applicant's previous submission of a Declaration in connection with the present application, Applicant encloses a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney, filed

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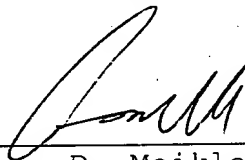
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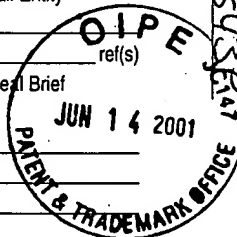
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